

Community Newsbrief

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Sixth Annual Blues & Ribfest Brings Record Crowds

The 6th Annual Blues & Ribfest brought record crowds to downtown Canal Winchester as the air was once again filled with barbecue wood smoke and the sound of authentic American Blues.

The Canal Winchester Blues & Ribfest, a rapidly growing mid-summer outdoor festival and Ohio's ONLY Blues & Rib Festival, featured live blues music, world-class ribs, and a variety of other attractions.



[CLICK HERE](#) [Blues & Ribfest Photos](#)

Tribute Bands Set To Rock Festival Main Stage

The 95th Annual Canal Winchester Labor Day Festival features free daily festival admission and free Sunday Car Show admission, as well as daily entertainment on two stages!



the main stage on Saturday, September 5 at 8:00 p.m.

Sunday night's entertainment headliner features Hotel California, the original tribute to THE EAGLES, beginning at 8:00 p.m.

Bon Journey, America's original favorite tribute to the music of Bon Jovi & Journey will take

For complete Labor Day Festival details, visit cwlaborday.org.

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National Prescription Drug Take-Back

According to the Drug Enforcement Administration, rates of prescription drug abuse in the U.S. are at alarming rates, as are the number of accidental poisonings and overdoses due to these drugs.

The City of Canal Winchester and Diley Ridge Medical Center,

in cooperation with the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), will host a National Prescription Drug Take-Back event on September 26, 2015 at the Diley Ridge Medical Center parking lot, 7911 Diley Rd., from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

[Read more](#)



City Encourages Healthy Employees



Pictured, left to right: Mayor Mike Ebert, Chris Hartung, Shannon Thomas

During the months of June and July, City of Canal Winchester employees participated in a walking challenge to encourage daily exercise. With a little healthy competition, two employees walked the equivalent of a round trip from Canal Winchester to Cincinnati. Congratulations to Chris Hartung and Shannon Thomas, who were presented certificates of merit by Canal Winchester Mayor Michael Ebert on August 24.

A Note from Your Public Service Department

Fall Maintenance Schedules

Hydrant Flushing will begin Monday September 21 and continue through Friday October 16. [Read more](#)

The City of Canal Winchester will begin annual **Leaf Pickup** Monday October 5 and continue through Friday December 4.

Mosquito Spraying

Mosquitoes from traps in Canal Winchester tested positive for West Nile virus in August.

In order to reduce the number of adult mosquitoes, Franklin County Public Health sprayed on August 26.

[Mosquito Management Program](#)

BREWDOG TOWN HALL

CANAL WINCHESTER COMMUNITY CENTER
22 S. TRINE STREET
CANAL WINCHESTER, OHIO 43110

SEPTEMBER 8TH, 2015
6-8PM

A Note from Your Planning & Zoning Department

Political sign season has arrived. Please review your neighborhood restrictions on sign placement and remember, all yard signs must be placed on private property, and not in the city's right of way.

City Calendar

September 2015

Sept 5-7 Labor Day Festival

Sept 7 Labor Day - City offices closed

Sept 26 National Rx Take-Back Day

Saturdays Farmers' Market (through Sept 26)

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